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STREET, GALVER of Monticello, has joined the regular army

THE Driving Park Association at Athens has been dissolved

Delivar township has a bonded in-debtedness of \$46,000

A VERY large acreage of oats has been sown in Platt county

ATHENS is to be supplied with water from an artesian well

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#### ANNA GOULD'S COUNT

He Did Not Cost the Reported Two Million Dollars,

BUT ONLY TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND.

The Question of Breaking Off the Match at the Last Moment Seriously Considered by the Castellane Family, But Opposed by the Count.

New York, April 9 -A private let-ter from London to a celebrated acress now appearing at a New York theater refers at some length to Castellanes and their mode of life The letter is particularly interest-ing from the fact that it says that the Countess Castellane, formerly Miss Anna Gould, appears to be devot-edly attached to her husband. One very interesting fact mentioned in the letter and verified here by an interview with an intimate friend of the Gould family, is that after all the talk about Castellane having received a mairiage settlement of \$2,000,000 from the Gould estate, he actually and abthe Gould estate, he actually and absolutely got only \$25,000, and this money was given to him personally by George Gould for the purpose of preperly preparing for the wedding and to purchase presents considered necessary It seems that George Gould was annious to make a proper settlement upon the count. He never mentioned \$2,000,000, but it was contemplated that the amount should be a that the amount should be a sum worthy of the position that he and his wife would occupy The sum was actually discussed at a family gathering at which all the Gould children were present. The only one who vehemently opposed it was Anna Gould. She said she did not wish to think that she was being mar-ned for her money, that the thought would be ever with her if any settle ment were made on the count She wanted to believe the count married her for herself and out of pure love George Gould uiged her to reconsider her determination, but she was so firm about it and pleaded so earnestly that he save way Next day he informed the count of the decision ar-

That the count was chagrined was evident, but he simply answered that he would consult his father about it.
The marquis was angry. He, it is alleged urged the breaking off of the match, for he lad been anxious for a long time that his son should mairy a Mile Mondbaron, to whom the count had previously paid his addresses in Pairs the count would not consider it, however He said matters had gone too far, and that he would be made ri diculous in the eyes of the world if he broke off the match at the last mo ment because he did not receive a large

THE GERMAN QUESTION in the Ranks of the Order of Knights of

Pythias-Legal Steps Taken

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 9 -The first important legal step in the con troversy over the German question in the ranks of the order of Knights of Pythias was taken in this city late vesterday afternoon Attorneys P W Liey and J R Brill representing Di John T Glover and Henry Haynic, trustees of St George lodge, filed comant wainst Henry Rosenthal Theodore Lange, Wax Baumgartner Kellai Pimting Co and Adams Express Co Plaintiffs asked for an injunetion, which was granted, restraining the defendants from printing and ship ping copies of the ritual and secret work of the Knights of Pythias

Rosenthal, Lange and Baumgartner were members of Waguer lodge until the supreme lodge edict against the German language was issued They and others have organized the Improved Order of Knights of Pythias, which employs the German language The complaint does not mention this order or the cause for the conduct of Rosenthal et al, but asserts that the defendants are circulating the ritual and secret work of the Knights of Pythias among persons not members of the order

What flavor rare can e'er compare with that of food cooked with Dr

neither he nor the secretary of the treasury saw any necessity for such action and that unless there was an unexpected change in conditions he had no idea that congress would meet again before the time appointed for its regular session

Chic ago's New Mayor and Aldermen. CHICAGO, April 9 -- George B Swift was last night installed as chairman of the city council and mayor of the or the city of Chicago He announced his se-lection for city comptroller O D Wetherell, who held the same position under the Harrison administration The other appointment was that of Fire Marshal Swenie, who is to succeed himself. The new aldermen were

AN UNFORTUNATE COMPANY Or an Injudicions Choice of Traveling

Representatives

Youngstown, O. April 9 —The New York Electric Co., engaged here in manufacturing incandescent bulbs and electrical supplies was recently victimized out of \$3,000 by A T Opporman, traveling representative, who, when last heard from, had sailed for

Maniger Fitch then employed Joseph Simpson, who had been with the company two years to travel, and yes-terday stated that Simpson had already victimized parties in Indianap-olis, Zanesville and other cities by inducing them to eash fraudulent checks. The company will prosecute Simpson,

Cut Rates for 'I hones HOLLAND, Mich, April 9—The Hol-land Telephone Co has been organ-ized with local capital, and will fur-nish change of the nish 'phones at \$12 per year for rest-dences and \$18 for business houses The Bell Telephone Co has cut rates from \$48 to \$12 per year for all pur-poses in order to kill off the local com-

CINCINNATI, April 8 - The Ohio river continues falling steadily The fall is expected to continue until to night or to morrow morning, when a 11st will occur and probably continue for two days At noon to day the stage 10,715-tered 31 feet 8 inches and at 6 p m 33

Speculated with His Employers' Money MINNEAPORTS Minn, April 9 - Joel J Jackson, local manager of the Swift Manufacturing Co of Chicago, wis ar rested yesterday morning on a chuige of grand larceny He began speculating in stocks a short time ago, and became involved. His shortage will exceed \$2 000

Death of Ix-Gov. Lampbell's Wother. HAMILION, O, April 9 -Mrs Laura P Campbell, widow of Di Andrew Campbell, deceased, and the mother of ex Gov James E Campbell died at noon yesterday of pneumonia

Ex Congressman Mansur Dying. WASHINGTON, April 8 -Ex Congress-man Charles Mansur, of Missouri deputy comptroller of the treasury, is dyng His physicians say he may live for twenty four hours

The Monterey at San Diego SAN Dingo, Cal , April 9 -The Mon terey arrived yesterday norning, en route to Callao, Peru

An American Swindler Arrested in Parls. Paris, April 9 -The Temps says that an American sy indler named Wing ha-been arrested in Paris for obtaining advances upon the bogus seem ties of the Rock Island Peoria & St Louis railroad a concern which, according to the railway authorities has no castence. Wing formerly occupied grand apartments in the Hotel Continental, but when arrested had only two francs on his person

Appointed by the President. WASHINGTON, April 9—The president yesterday appointed William A Bray, of Indiana, to be surveyor of customs for the port of Michigan City, Ind

Busy people have no time and sensible people have no inclination to use a slow remedy One Minute Cough Cure and gives permanent re acts promptly and grand grand

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#### PROGRESS.

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Peopie who get the greatest degree of comfort and real enjoyment out of hife, are those who make the most out of their opportunities.

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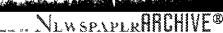
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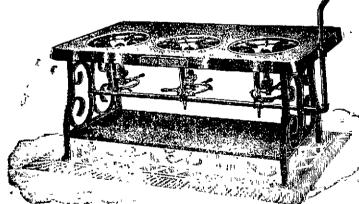
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Flittd Ward ......GEORGE S. SIMPSON ... ... JOHN R. DOUGHERTY . .. C. S. HANKINS. .... A. W. HENDRICKS

#### Ante-Election Pledges.

Here is what W. H. Starr, president of the Municipal Club, said about antelection pledges in his speech officially notifying William Traver of his nomi nation by the club for mayor;

WE DEMAND NO PLEDGES, BELIEVING THAT ANTE-ELECTION PLEDGES ARE THE GROUND OF MUCH MUNICIPAL MISGOVERS MENT. WE WOULD HAVE YOU TREE TO EXERCISE IN THIS WIDER FIELD THE SAME OOD JUDGMENT THAT HAS CHARACTER ZED YOU IN THE SMALLER.

#### Two Ministers' Views.

Several ministers in the city last Sun day preached upon the moral issues involved in the present city campaign. Two of them, Revs. W. C. Miller and D. F. Howe got a little beyond the moral ssues and preached in the interest of the Municipal third party, the former directly, the latter more guardedly. It is not the purpose of this article to dispute the right of either of these gentlemen to take their politics into the pulpit, but to raise some questions touching the excuses made for it and some of the arguments they made.

Mr. Howe argued the pulpit was a proper place to discuss the moral side of political questions, and in support of this he cited the fact that the prophets of the olden time preached politics al nost exclusively, but he did not explain to his congregation that the prophets flourished in the era of the law while he s flourishing in the new kingdom of grace. Under the Mossical law the hurch and state were united. The same aw governed both, if it be proper to apply duality in any sense. The kingdom of Israel was a theocracy. All the preaching done by the prophets in that sense was political, not a part as Mr. Howe suggests. In the kingdom of grace, under which Mr. Howe and the Municipal third party and the organ of that party flourish, the church and the state are divided. Jesus Christ, whose opresentative Mr. Howe is, declared that separation when he said: "Render unto Cæsar the things that are Casar's and unto God the things that

The question to be decided by a minister, in the Kingdom of grace, and in the present campaign, is whether the fact that the Municipal club, having pledged itself to suppress "public gambling" and protect the sale of intoxicating liquors belongs to the church or the state or is polongs to the church or the state or is school buildings will be erected this straddle between the two? Messrs spring within a radius of fifty miles of Danville. Howe and Miller decided the new party

clouged to the pulpit. of the Municipal club and the matter was for present consumption. For example, some months ago Mr. Howe preached an able sermon about "The ittle foxes that eat the tender vines." In that sermon he was not handicapped by instructions, and he showed conclusively that the gambling in the homes, under cover of amusement, race track gambling, and so on, were more dangerous and pernicious than the open gambling hells, but under the inspirablunderbuss of "public gambling." There can be no mistake about this, for Mr. Clouser, on the Scott & Allman farm in Piatt county, is using a steam gang plow to break prairie. same inspiration, the same evening on the banks of the Municipal river, Euphrates, in an attempt to explain why the candidate for mayor on the Municipal ticket had qualified his pledge to suppress gambling by using the words "public gambling," seriously said, in substance, that it was so qualified to assure those who includes in compare at their horses which the banks of the Municipal river, indulge in games at their homes which come under the restrictions of the law covering gambling that they would not be interfered with. If Mr. Miller is cor-

Daily Republican of the fact that Mr. Howe contended in his former sermon that unless the little transgressions were destroyed it was almost useless to attack the graver ones

There is another feature of these ser

mons that it might be well for the voters to consider. In his sermon a week ago, Mr. Miller stated that, in his opinion, i either candidate for mayor on the old party tickets were to make a pledge to suppress gambling, the Municipal ticket would be withdrawn. He reiterated the same opinion last Sunday night. Last Sunday night Mr. Howe said, and repeated it in many forms, that he would vote for no man who was too cowardly to make a pledge to suppress gambling. Under the circumstances, Mr. Howe may be mistaken in imputing cowardice to a candidate who refuses to make pledges. In his remarks he meant the Republican candidate for mayor, for he would not support the candidate for nayor on the Democratic ticket, under the well known relation he bears to the gamblers, if he made a thousand pledges to suppress gambling. In this respect it is evident that pledges, in his opinion are not always conclusive and safe. If Mr. Miller is correct in saying that

pledge, by Mr. Conklin, for example, would cause the withdrawal of the Municipal ticket it would follow that Mr Conklin would, as a result, get the votes of the club. If the club has as many otes as they claim for it would it not e worth securing by any candidate With such a temptation before him is it a mark of cowardice that a man does not yield to it as much as it may be a mark of manhood and principle? It is well known that the gambiers have a candidate of their own and that Mr. Conklin is not that candidate, and that he would lose no votes in that direction by such a pledge. So Mr. Howe's theory of cowardice falls flat.

Mr. Conklin is a man. There is not a drop of the blood of demagogues or trimmers in his veins, and it cannot be miceted into the circulation of his free manhood from a coached pulpit. If Mi Conklin is elected mayor he will be the property of no man or clique. He will go in free from all entanglements and vill be prepared and qualified to serve he entire city.

When he consented to the use of his ame, in a speech he eaid, if he was elected he would enforce the laws, and if the laws were not what they ought to be, new ones ought to be made; and that he would give the people of Decatur the best administration he possibly could These are the words of a man. More than this is deception.

Roys. Miller and Howe, under the spell of the Municipal club, seem to have orgotten the admonitions of the Master who said: "Let your communications e yea, yea, nay, nay, for whatsoever i ore than these cometh of evil."

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot each the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafuess and that is by constitutional remedies Deafness is caused by an inflamed condetion of the mucuous ining of the eustachian tube. When this tube gots inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forver; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an in-flamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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#### He Couldn't Drive Nails.

belonged to the pulpit.

There is another feature of this matter that it would be well not to overlook. The prophets always had a mission. They spoke only the words given them by Johovah, who was the acknowledged head of the theocracy. These prophets were inspired and directly instructed by God, while it is quite clear from a perusal of the sermons of Mr. Miller and Mr. Howe, both were inspired by the leaders of the Municipal club and the matter.

He Couldn't Drive Nails.

Jonas Swartz, Hartville, Ohio, relates an experience all the more wonderful tocause he is now nearly seventy. He says: "I wouldn't take \$100 for the good Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer has done in a faways worked hard and was care less about a little stomach trouble. I had and sleeplessness, which I suppose accounts for the nervous trouble which struck me about four years ago. Limbs of my right side got so I couldn't control them; at times I couldn't hold a cup in my right hand to drink from it and in a crowd would unconsciously hit and in a crowd would unconsciously hit people with my jerking right arm. The doctors called it nervous paralysis and said that, at my age. I couldn't be cured, I saw Dr. Wheoler's Neve Vitalizer ad-I saw Dr. Wheoler's Nerve Vitalizer advertised in the Repository and got a sample bottle of it, which I thought helped me, so bought a bottle. Think I have used three bottles, and they have made a steady man of me. I have not felt as well in the four years and am still improving. Why, for two years I couldn't drive a nail." Mr. Geidlinger, in whose store the interview took place. fully corroborated Mr. Swartz' statement, saving his cure was a surprise to tion of the Municipal club, which seems to have its foot in it on "public gambling" Mr. Howeretired the "httle foxes" and went gaming for big game with the blood by C. H. Dawson, Druggist.

#### What a Prominent Jusurance Man

cough, and she experienced immediate relief. I always recommend this syrup to my friends."

John Cranston, 908 Hampshire street, Quincy, Ill., writes: "I have found Balrect in his statement it follows that the third party candidate proposes to save the scalps of the little foxes regardless by C. H. Dawson.

#### LOUISIANA ADVENTURE.

How a Hunter Was Saved by Deer in the Nick of Time.

He Was Charmed by a Rig Rattlesnake and Rescued by a Buck Which Stamped the Life Out of the Ugly Reptile.

"When I first came to Louisiana," said H. U. Martin, of Bienville parish that state, the other day, "deer were almost as plentiful anywhere about the woods as the English sparrow is now in your city streets. Venison was the staple meat upon most of our boards, and hunting was the great diversion of that day. I believe I was just naturally born hunting for something to shoot at, and I've been on a still hunt more or less ever since. In my young days l

was the mighty hunter of the country.

and always made one of every party

that went out.

"Some queer experiences I have had too, first and last, but the closest call that ever came was from a rattlesnake and I should not now be here to tell the tale if a deer had not saved my life. It happened this way: A pretty big party of us had gone driving through the Black Lake woods, just west of Mount Lebanon, and I had taken a stand not far from the public road, near an old long-leaf pine. A famous deer stand this old tree marked once. 'Old Stray' we used to call it, because it was the only long-leaf pine for twenty miles or more. The drivers had come down in the swamp, and, of course, I should have to wait a reasonable length of time before I began to expect the deer, for I knew they would be sure to start one, and that he would most probably pass my stand.

"In the meantime I leaned my gur against the tree and stepped off about twenty paces distant to gather a handful of blackberries to while away a few moments of waiting. Suddenly I heard an ominous rattling in the bushes behind me, and turned to see a snake about the size of my forearm coiled as if ready to spring. You may imagine my blood ran cold in my veins with the terrible varmint in such close quarters and my gun so far away. I do not remember to have thought of any thing in the few same moments that must have been left me after I first beheld the snake, but pretty soon I knew it was all up with me.

hideous open mouth hissed, it seemed



A HUNTER HYPNOTIZED.

to me, in my very face, and the fiery eyes, waving to and fro in the revolving nead, burnt into the depths of my own Gradually all power left my limbs. I could neither move nor speak. I recall these things now, but then I knew nothing, saw nothing but the glistening eyes and the hissing serpent mouth. Just how long this kept up I shall never know, but there must have come a time when I lost consciousness alto-gether, and what the result might have

been I can only conjecture.
"Suddenly there was a little crack-ling of dry twigs in the underbrush, and a deer came bounding out, making straight toward us. The hideous hissing seemed to cease instantly and the flery eyes stopped their dance of death before my face. The big rattler uncoiled, but the deer was too quick for him. With one bound the buck was upon him stamping out the life with his feet. I did not move out of my tracks till the thing was over, and I stood so close that I might have reached out my hand and touched the big deer while the fight was going on.

"The boys found me after awhile, as limp as a rag leaning against the old pine, and, of course, they guyed me for having the 'buck ague,' but the remains of the dead snake with the deer's footprints all around convinced them. But never had the heart to shoot at one since that buck saved my life."

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TRY the Little Rose and Bouquet igars. They take the lead. G. A. KUHNER has sold out his interest

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elicious food made with Dr. Price's Tuesday evening the Edmond street Sunday school will give an ice cream

and cake social. Everybody invited. THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town, mar25-dtf

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Thus far Justice Geo. P. Hardy has been unable to secure a suitable room for an office. There are several rooms offered him, but they are not properly

THE Buyers' and "Morchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dt1

THE hall of Chevalier Bayard Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will be crowded tonight on the occasion of the visit of John A. Miller, of Cairo, the grand chancellor of the state. DECATUR NURSERY-Office located at

the powder houses on East Wood street. Don't buy a bunch of dry brush of the Bloomington nursery but get nice live W. H. TINCHER. YESTERDAY George W. Peck, jr., paid

Virginia C. Persons \$2,000 for a vacant residence lot on West Main street, near dwelling on the lot. Sweet Peas! sweeter peas! sweetest

peas! and nasturtium seed. All you want of every hue. Now is the time to plant, so call early on George S. Durfee & Bros., Opera House block, South Water street. Also all kinds fresh garden mar27-d1mo

This evening the Pearl Seekers at College Street Chapel will break their Standard which contain what the 10th Dist.—Mrs. S. A. Radley, Sandwich. 10th Dist.—Mrs. Emma I. Bigelow, Easter eggs, which contain what children have been able to collect in Galva.

11th Dist—Mrs. Julia Esty Schreiner,

Last evening Will F. Kinser, on complaint of his sister, Mrs. F. A. Brown, of 237 East Wood street, was arrested on a warrant by Deputy Sheriff Holmes, on a charge of alleged insanity. He was arrested in the 1400 block on West Macon street where he was engaged in plowing up all the vacant lots in sight. The officer disarmed Kinser by a clever ruse, and landed him in the county jail. He will be examined to morrow at 9 a. m. in Judge Hauzner's court.

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Mrs. Mary E. Holmes, the President, will Preside at the Sessions.

tures at the Congregational Church -The Program

The Twenty-second annual state convention of the Illinois Equal Suffrage Association will be held Wednesday Phursday and Friday at the Woman's Club House. Lectures Thursday and by people for continuance. Application held Friday evenings at the Congregational sufficient and cause certified to the county court. church. About 100 delegates will be in Exceptions by defendant. he city, and Mrs. Mary E. Holmes, of Chicago, state president, will preside.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 10, 8:30. eception at the Woman's Club.

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Responses by.
Hon. M. B. Castle, Ch'm'n Ex. Com. E. S. A.
Dr. Julia Holmes Smith, Woman's Ciub.
Mrs. Emma Smith DeVoe, W. R. C.
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Appointment of Committees.

Ten minute reports of Superintendents.
Literature. Mrs. Is. Leach, Kinderhook
Fair Work. Mrs. S. A. Giddings, Danville
Suffrage Contests. Mrs. Carrie Ashton
Joanson, Rockford.
Mrs. Julia Mills Du. n. Moline
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THURSDAY, 2 P. M. Rev. R. G. Hobbs
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Five minute reports from the following district presidents.

...... Rev. W. C. Miller ...... Musical Division W. C How to make next year's work more effective:

Mrs. Emma I. Higelow, Galva.

Mrs. Emmy C. Evaid, Chicago.

Mrs. Clara Lyon Peters, Watseka.

Mrs. Fanny H. Rastall, Edgewater.

Paper-General Progress in Legislative Werland Reference to the Flag Gwned by the State Association... Mr. L. C. Shea, Danville. Report of Committee on Resolutions.

Closing Rules.

FRIDAY EVENING-7:30 rayer......Rev. A. W. Hawkin fusic.....Musical Division ... Mrs. Emma Smith DeVoe, Harvey Prof. Rena M. Atchison, Morgan Park. Mrs. J. C. McConnel

DISTRICT VICE PRESIDENTS. 1st Dist-Mrs. Emma Smith DeVoe

Harvey. 2nd Dist-Mrs. A. W. Holmes, Jefferson Park.
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cago.
5th Dist—Miss Mary Bennett, Chicago ago.;
7th Dist-Mrs. Fannie H. Rastal,

13th (Dist-Miss Effle Henderson,

18th Dist-Miss Carrie Prince, Shel-19th Dist-Mrs. Ada Kepley, Effingham. 20th Dist-Miss Gertrude Stewart,

Flora.
21et Dist-Mrs. M. K. East, DuQuoin. 22d Dist-Mrs. M. E. Allen, Murphya-

Some special reports, election of officers and other business. Pages-Bertie Troutman, Clara Allison, Katie Troutman, Mary Allison.

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new mattresses of any kind made to order at our mattress factory, Library Block. Decatur Tent & Awning Co. April3 d2w

LIQUOR CASES IN COURT.

John McNally on Trial for Alleged Violation of the Law.

Judge Vail resumed business in the circuit court Monday afternoon and took up the liquor cases. Attorneys J. J. Finn and David Hutchison for the defense undertook to quash the indictments, but the efforts were partial failu-

PEOPLE'S DOCKET. Zach Melhorn; selling liquor to minor. Motion of defendant to quash indictment and each count to others. Motion by defendants for rule of state's attorney to furnish minutes of proceeding before grand jury. Motion overruled.

Joseph Robinson; selling liquer to minor. Certified to the county court for process and

John McNally; keeping open tippling hous Motion to quash overruled. Motion for rule on state's attorney to furnish minutes of grand jury overruled. Defendant arraigned and pleud not guilty. Trial by jury. Jury swern as follows: F. O. Damrow, John Defrates, T. L. An trim, C. E. Peake, H. C. Oakes, R. P. Mullens Hugh Vaughn, George Geddes, F. M. Martin, John Wombacher, N. W. Rucker, Harry Skelton.

CHANCERY DOCKET. A. T. Risley vs. Mary Collins; chancery. Ru o close all evidence by April 15, 1895.

The Hospital Benefit. The benefit to be given at the opera house on April 18th for St. Mary's Hospital will consist of the following plays with the below named cast: "AMONG THE BREAKERS."

(Two-act comedy drama.)

Frank Black
Miss Mame Kennedy
Mrs. Maurice Powers
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Eastern Illinois Circuit. Prominent Central Illinois horsemen held a meeting in Paris, Saturday, and formed the Eastern Illinois Trotting asmade permanent secretary of the association. The towns embracing the circuit 12th Dist—Mrs. Clara Lyon Peters, now are Champaign, Tuscola, Mattoon Watseka. Paris and Hume, and the dates for al the meetings have been set as follows Bloomington.

16th District—Mrs. L. F. Long, Barry.

17th Dist—Mrs. Eva Munson Smith,

26; Champaign, July, 30 to Aug. 2; Tuscola, Aug. 6 to 9; Hume, Aug. 13 to 16. The classes will be as follows: Trotting, free-for-all, 2:20, 2:30 and 2:40; pac ing, same; 2-year-old pace, 2-year-old trot and 3-year-old trot. I. H. Gregg owner of Greggdale, at Tuscola, is at the head of the movement and with the backing that he has been promised will certainly make it a success.

#### The Shade Barn Fire.

The firemen had business last night The entire department was called out two times. The W. P. Shade brick barn on East Wood street was on fire at about 8 o'clock, but before the firemen could arrive the cow, horse and surrey were removed. The damage was about \$100, claims this honor. The dog in question covered by insurance. A big crowd weighs 203 pounds, stands 35 inches gathered to tramp over the lot and behigh to the shoulder and measures 7 come saturated with the smoke. Two feet from tip to tip, and cost Mr. Stetson hours later another alarm was sent in \$1,000. He was originally the property caused by soot burning in a chimney of the Czar of Russia and was presented at the Arcade office building. No dan-

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street, invites the ladies of Decatur to inspect her elegant line of Easter Millinery. All the new and elegant styles.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Ar.Grace M E. church Sunday next Rev. R. G. Hobbs will preach the annual Easter sermon for the members of Beaumanoir Commandery No. 9, Knights Templar. This will be in the forenoon and the Knights in full regalia will attend in a body.

THE latest results of pharmaceutical science and the best modern appliances are availed of in compounding Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Hence, though half a-centmake it the standard blood-purifier.

O. L. Conn will depart to-morrow for Davenport, Iowa, to join the Iowa hase ball league. Mr. Conn is one of the best pitchers Central Illinois has produced and he will not fail to make a creditable record. Decatur will watch his work with interest. He is an honest,

THE Easter sale of fancy articles by Myrtle Temple No. 2, Rathbone Sisters, at the hall of No. 17, Knights of Pythias, last night, was largely attended and a handsome sum was realized. The ladies in charge of the different booths were: Fancy work-Mrs. Charles Mc Cune, Mrs. C. C. Stoddard, Mrs. C. T. Kincaid, Mrs. Al Lindamood, Mrs. F. M. Patterson; confectionery stand-Misses Emma Weigand and Mina Thompson, Mrs. George Quimby and Mrs. John Weigand; Mrs. Ira Ivens had charge of

managed by Mrs. W. T. Dillehunt, Mrs. Jacob Keck and Miss Anna Ammann. from Champaign. Ice cream and cake were served. ABOUT a month ago Mrs. F. C. Bakersister-in-law of Mrs. Dr. H. M. Wood, this city, accompanied by her 10-months

the grab bage, and the egg tree was

went to Strawberry Point Iowa, to visit relatives. To-day a telegram was received stating that Mrs. Baker's child died this morning.

Election judges for the city election are requested to call on City Clerk Skelley on Thursday for cards of instructions and specimen ballots for posting. Thursday is the last day.

In the county court the jury in the case of Augustus Harpstrite vs. M. V. DeSpain failed to agree and were dis charged. The jury it is said stood 9 to 3 for the defendant.

In the circuit court to day in the case In the circuit court to day in the case Mrs. J. L. Fox, 955 South Broadway, of the People vs. John McNally, tried is rapidly improving after a lingering illfor keeping open a tippling house the jury brought in a verdict of guilty on

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Rev. Arthur Bradshaw Dead.

Tuscola, Ill, April 8.—Rev. Arthur Bradshaw died here to-day and will be interred at Decatur Wednesday. Rev. Bradshaw was the pioneer Methodist preacher of Illinois, and was in the harness 60 years. His property he directs to be placed in the hands of Bishop William Taylor, of Indiana to be used in educating the heathen educating the heathen.

The deceased was past 80 years of age, ury in existence as a medicine, it is fully and was the owner of property in Decaabrease of the age in all that goes to tur. He was the father of Mrs. Anna Hamsher.

#### An Able Speaker.

John W. Ela, the noted lawyer and orator of Chicago, one of the organizers of the Civic Federation, which has waged such a fierce war recently on the

rich will preside at the meeting.

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

L. E. Foster is in Toledo, Ohio. Dr. Will Barnes is in Sullivan to-day. Paul Smith went to Champaign yes-

Guy Parke is in Mattoon to-day on

S. T. Curtis has returned from India-

G. A. Bushert is in Galesville to-day

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Huff have returned

Frank Lathrop is in the city on a sev-

eral days' visit. John Higenbotham and family have returned from Sulivan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Haworth left to

day for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Jack arrived home to-day from Arizona and California

Geo. W. Masterly is still dangerously sick at his residence on East Condi

Mrs. D. L. Dixon and daughter Georgia have returned home after a visit to friends in New Rochelle, Ill.

Mrs. Isaac Claypool left to-day for her tome in Marshall, Ill., after a visit with relatives in this city.

Miss Alice Cox, of Lovington, who has been visiting her brother John for the

Keel, of Chicago, are the guests of Miss Mame Clark on East Eldorado street.

visiting her daughter and grandson. Mrs. Malinda Polen, who has been

Mrs. J. D. Moore entertained the mem-

Dr. L. P. Walbridge will return Thursday from Chicago, where he has just finished a laboratory course in the postsult a specialist.

Evening Concerts. This programme of music will be ob

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Medley Waltz "Bob the Bowery Boy".... Lange

Native Home March

Mr. and Mrs. R. Taggart will return to-night from Attica, Ind. Death of Robert Rell

Miss Lizzie Bone has returned to her home in Georgetown, Ky.

Mrs. E. J. Brown has returned from visit with relatives in St. Louis.

Mrs. Orville Ewing is sick at her residence, 935 West Decatur street.

home in Cincinnati

past few days, returned yesterday. Mrs. Dora Lumsden and Frank Mc-

Mrs. T. A. Pritchet returned yesterday from Farmer City, where she has been

sick for the past week at her residence, 935 North Clinton street, is convales-

bers of the West End Euchre club last evening at her apartments in the Max-

graduate medical school. waged such a fierce war recently on the gamblers and boodlers of that city, will carl Ruchl left this morning as travely work with interest. He is an honest, address the citizens of Decatur this evening at the opera house. John Ull carl Ruchl left this morning as traveling salesman for the Coffin company. He take the territory formerly covered by Joe G. Bixby, who resigned to go into humans for himself. into business for himself.

Dr. J. P. Fithian went to Springfield yesterday morning. The doctor is suf-fering from a very sore eye and will con-

Miss Anna Lyon has accepted a posi-tion with Linn & Scruggs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stauffer are in Chiserved tonight at the Easter opening at

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Robert Beil, the well-known shoemaker, who had a cobblershop on North about 60 years. He leaves a widow, a daughter and one son. Ho was a native of Scotland, and resided at Bloomington and Tuscola before coming to Decatur. of Decatur Lodge, No. 65.

The funeral will be held at the resilence at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Miss Anna Cochran, after a visit with Rev. R. G. Hobbs officiating. Burial at Decatur friends, left to-day for her Greenwood. Greenwood.

To make food light, wholesome and delicious always use Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

On Municipal Reform.

The Hon. John W. Ela, of Chicago, the author of the civil service bill which was recently passed by the legislature, Tuesday by a majority of 35,000 votes, Davidson, James Hollinger, George ing on the government of cities. Every- bers of the board.

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A PARTY of Gilman nimrods are hunting snipe iz Indiana.

Meeting of Harness Men. A conference meeting of the executive committee of the Wholesale Saddlery siter, died at his home in Matroon on Association of America is in session to Sunday, April 7. Her death was due to day in the parlors at the St. Nicholas a fever following her accouchment hotel. The gentlemen present are I. N. | which occurred on Thursday. The de-Gordon, of Indianapolis, president of ceased was the daughter of Mr. and the association; J. B. Denvir, of St. Mrs. Charles Adderly, now of Spokane, Louis, secretary; J. S. Medary, of La-but formerly of Decatur. Mrs. Lon Crosse, Wis; P. Burns, of St. Louis; Gray, of Decatur, was a sister of the de Joseph J. Kreher, of St. Louis, and B. ceased. Her husband is John Rossiter, W. Campbell, of Cincinnati. The spe- the well-known P., D. & E. engineer, and cial committee on positentiary-made five children survive her, the youngest goods are also present. They are W. H. being a son five days old. Starr, Decatur; I. C. McConnell, Daven. port, Iowa, and Mr. Gordon. This evening Senator Kanan, who is a member of the legislative sub-committee on penitentiary-made goods, will address the Knights of Pythias, arrived in Decatur gentlemen. Affairs affecting the haress interests are under consideration.

#### The gentlemen will be given a carriage ride about the city this afternoon.

Civil Service Reform. tised Mr. Ela, a Chicago Democrat, who cola to-morrow night, at Kankakte Main street, died of pneumonia at 9 a. speaks for the Municipal club to-night, Thursday night, and thence he goes to m. to-day, at 257 Central avenue, aged as "the author of the civil service law," Chicago to meet the finance commutrecently passed by the legislature. This too of the Grand Lodge. To day Mr. must be an important question to our Miller dired with W. P. Shade and Decatur reformers, as they have allowed family. the time to pass by to submit its adop-He was a member of Tuscola lodge of tion to the the people of Decatur at the Odd Fellows. The remains are in charge coming election. They have evidently been too much devoted to "suppressing public gambling."

> Price's Baking Powder be found? No aprons, sunbonnets, sweeping caps, matwhere. It has distanced all competitors. Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Macon county board of supervisors will be held on Thursday, April 25. at 1:30 p. m., for the purpose of effecting an organization and to consider other business. The call is signed by W. H. Bean, C. A. Thrift.

I.O.O.F. Members of Decatur Lodge No. 63, are requested to meet at Odd Fellows' work in sign painting, frescoing, dec. hall, corner Noath Main and William

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M. W. McHENRY, N. G. basement room of the church on Thurs-I. N. Martin, Jr., Sec.

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A bend or certified check in the sum of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bated Decatur, Illinois, this 5th day of April A. D. 1895.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk. L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE,

Estate of Sarah G. Wright, Deceased.

The undersigned having hert, appointed executor of the estate of Sarah G. Wright, linte of the county of Macon and state of Illisofs, deceased, hereby gives notice that site will appear before the county court of Macon cannity, at the const house in Decatur, at the May term, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having chims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indicated to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1836.

MANDA M. DALE.,

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Executrix.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the question of levying a tax of two mills on the \$1.69 valuation of all the taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Decatur, Macon county, lithous, will be submitted to the voters of sald div at the next general election thereof to be head on Tuesday, the 16th day of April, A. D., 1825. A majority of the votes cast at said election will be necessary to authorize said levy. The fund so derived to be used only for the purpose of improving the parks of said city and for the purpose of improving the parks of said city and for the purpose of purchasing land for park and bullevard purposes and for opening, improving and maintaining the same.

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Equitable Bullding and Loan Society vs. Mary Giblin, et al. Bill to foreclose mortgage Nc. 15,605. In Chancery.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of lillinois, entered in the above entitled cause, at the January term said court, A. D. 1895, I. James J. Flim, Master in Chancery of said court will. on

Saturday. April 27, 1895, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. 10. at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur in said county, offer for sale at public anction to the highest and nest bidder for cash in land, subject to redemption, according to law, the real estate in said decree montioned, as follows, to-wit:

Lots fourteen (12) and fifteen (15) in block three (3) in Montgomery & Shull's First addition to the City of Decatur in Macon county, Illinois. Dated at Decatur, Ill., this six day of April, A. D. 1895.

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#### INCOMES FROM RENTS ON REAL ESTATE Cuba is still the most restless part of

And Those Derived from State, County and Municipal Bonds, Exempt-The Decision Considered at the Executive Mansion.

#### The Income Tax Decision.

WASHINGTON, April 9.-The supreme court yesterday passed upon the conatitutionality of the income tax law, passed by the last congress. court holds that the law is valid with the following exceptions:

4. Incomes derived from rents are

2. Incomes derived from state, county

and municipal bonds are exempt.

The opinion was read by Chief Justice Fuller. In its conclusions the court holds that there is no difference between a tax on land itself and a tax on rents or income derived from land. The court, therefore, is of the opinion that a tax on rents or landed investments is a direct taxation and unconstitutional.

It was ruled that the fact that the law was pronounced unconstitutional in these two particulars did not invalidate the law as a whole. It was announced that in the latter conclusion the court was equally divided and, divided court, the law would stand except as to rents and on state, county and municipal bonds, and upon these two points it was directed that the judgment below be reversed.

#### How the Ruling of the Supreme Court was Received by the President and His Advisors.

WASHINGTON, April 9.-The president, after hearing the supreme court desision, at 1:30 o'clock yesterday sum-moned Secretary Carlisle to the executive mansion, and the two discussed the matter for some time. Other members of the cabinet dropped in later, among them the attorney general. The decision was a disappointment. but the administration will at once issue instructions to collectors of internal revenue to conform to the law. Secretary Carlisle followed his welldefined custom not to discuss the mat-

ter for publication. Attorney-General Olney said the government would not ask for a rehearing, but would accept the decision as rendered. He was not surprised at that portion of it excepting municipal and state bonds from traction, but ex-

pressed the hope that the question of rents might be brought before the court in some other shape, when he entertained the strong belief that the present attitude of the court would be

- In the treasury department Assistant Secretary Curtis declared that the condition of the treasury was governed by revenues amply sufficient to meet current expenses.

Commissioner Miller and officials of the income tax division held a confer ence last night of several hours' duration at the treasury department, discussing the bearing of the opinion on the present income tax machinery in operation and changing it when necessary to meet the changed condition. These instructions will be ready for publication to-day or to-morrow.

#### Press Comments on the Income Tax Deci-sion.

New York, April 9.—The Recorder to-day, in its editorial comment on the decision of the supreme court of the United States on the income case, says: Reduced to final analysis, the burden of the income tax falls on labor-that is, on the element of the community least able to bear it. The republican party, when it obtains complete control of the government, will sweep the outrageous act from the statute

MILWAUKEE, April 8 .- The Sentinel (rep.) will say: "A more unsatisfactory decision can hardly be imagined. Bad as the law was in its entirety, it is infinitely worse in the form given to it in the supreme court. The question is left in an unsettled condition, with new and serious complications attached to it. Not only is the law more oppressive than ever, but the revenue to be derived by the government is greatly reduced. It cannot be justified on any ground whatever.'

#### RECEIVERS TAKE CHARGE

Of the Affairs of the Southern States Land and Lumber Company.

PENSACOLA. Fla., April 9.-The Southern States Land and Lumber Co., one of the largest concerns doing business here, was placed in the hands of three receivers yesterday by order of Judge Pardee, of New Orleans. This is an English company and has offices in Pensacola, New York and London. The receivers are S. M. Lamont and W. E. McCormick, of Louisville, Ky., and Clarence Carr, of New York. The business will be continued.

Sulcided in the Presence of Wife and Children. Pirrseurgu, Pa., April 9.-Adam Schuede, aged 38, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the head, in the presence of his wife and children at their home in Bellzhoover borough. No cause is known for the

Appeal from the Beath Sentence Rejected BRUSSELS, April 9.—The appeal made by Madame Joniquax from the sentence of death passed upon her on February 3 for the murder of her brother, aister and uncle, was yesterday re-

Deadlack Unbroken. DOVER, Del., April 9.—One unsuccessful ballot was taken for United States senator yesterday.

#### THE CUBAN INSURRECTION.

Namezous Reports of Insurgent Outbreak but No Great Battle Fought.

gent outbreaks have been numerous in the last three days. As far as can be learned, however, no battle has been fought. The province of Santiago de

he island. Gen. La Chambre, who commands the Spanish troops in active pursuit of the insurgents in this province, has been at Palerma Soriane, to the northwest and across the mountains from Santiago city, for several days. He operates from this base in the nearby districts which are overrun frequently by insurgent bands.

A report received from him yesterday morning says that a party of 190 insurgents attacked the San Leandro postman and his guards Sunday morning, overpowered them before revolvers could be drawn and seized the mails. Before liberating the captives the insurgents cut the telegraph wires. A government force is pursuing the

Gen. La Chambre reports also that insurgents under the leadership of Rabi and Lara have been cutting the Ventash-Casnova wires. Small parties of troops have pushed them, but have caught only one man. He was one of Rabi's lieutenants and was shot. The wires were repaired at once.

The province of Puerto Principe is quiet. Everything is quiet around Havana, although rumors of coming rouble are plentiful enough. Sunday the police found eight white men and three negroes marching with an insurgent flag about eight miles from the therefore, no opinion. The lower court city. All were armed with revolvers having ruled in favor of the law by a and knives. They were captured without bloodshed. They admitted that they had intended to form a band and attack the barracks of the civil guard at Jaruco, a considerable town on the railway between Havana and Matanzas. If the government had not been enabled by early information to check this movement there undoubtedly would have been a rising which would have had seditious results in

#### THE PRESIDENT INDIGNANT, But Very Moderate in His Denunciation of

His Calumnistors. WASHINGTON, April 9 .- When Rev. Lansing's interview, accusing the pres-

ident of intemperance, was shown to Mr. Cleveland vesterday he said: "This is simply an outrage, though t is not the first time a thing of this kind has been attempted. I cannot avoid a feeling of indgnation that a

man who makes claims to decency, and especially one who assumes the role of Christian minister, should permit himself to become a disseminator of wholesale lies and calumnies not less stupid than they are cruel and wicked.
"I easily recall other occasions when

hose more or less entitled to be called ministers of the gospel have been in strumental in putting into circulation the most scandalous falsehoods concerning my conduct and character. The elements or factors of the most pproved outfit for placing a false and barefaced accusation before the public appear to be first, someone with baseless metives sufficient invent; second, a minister with more gullibility and love of notoriety than piety, greedily willing to listen to and gabble, and, third, a newspaper anxiously willing to pub-lish it. For the sake of the Christian eligion I am thankful that these scandal-mongering ministers are few. and on every account I am glad that the American people love fair play and justice and in spite of all effort to mislead them they are apt to form a correct estimate of the character and

#### labors of their public servants. A TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

Twenty-Five or Thirty Miners Supposed to

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.-A special News of a terrible explosion in says: the Blue Canyon coal mine reached here last night. There were twentyive or thirty men in the mine at the time of the explosion. Three dead bodies had been taken out up to the time word was sent, and it was supposed that the rest of the miners had met

The mine is on Lake Whatcom, nearly ten miles from Whatcom. Every effort is being put forth to rescue the imprisoned men

A steamer has left New Whatcom with Supt. John Donovan, two com-pany physicians and other doctors, for the scene of the disaster. A corps of egun at once.

ago and pronounced safe.

There is no telegraph communication from this city to the mine and the telephone wires are down, doubtless owing to the explosion.

#### THE JONES-CLARK ENCOUNTER

The Governor Pays One Fine and Haz Another Charge to Answer.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 9.—As the outcome of his encounter Sunday with Representative Jones, Gov. Clarke yesterday went before a magistrate, plead guilty to carrying concealed weapons and paid the conventional fine of \$50. Judge Robbins and Prosecuting Attorney Pemberton waited upon the governor and asked if he preferred arrest on warrant or by grand jury indict-ment for assault and battery upon Jones, but the governor evaded the

There is talk of impeaching the governor, but it has come to nothing sub-

Gov. Clark is out in a card explaining the encounter, in which he says he mit late yesterday afternoon. approached Jones and asked him in the future when discussing state afthe future when discussing state at-fairs, not to use his (Clark's) name, whereupon Jones flew into a rage. The governor does not state which of the two began the process of expectoration in the face of the other.

### A SINGULAR SUICIDE

HAVANA, April 9.—Reports of insur- For Which No Motive Can be Assigned.

#### IN THE MIDST OF A DAY OF PLEASURE,

And the Society of His Family and Inwited Friends, William Vitko Retires, Laughing, to His Room, and Blows His Brains Out.

St. Louis, April 9.—The impelling motive that drove William Vitko to suicide is a mystery that puzzles his relatives and friends. So far as they know there was no reason why he should blow out his brains. They say that his home life was happy and his

business prosperous.

He made elaborate preparations for death and executed them so tragically that some people say he must have cen crazy. First he invited a number of his most intimate friends to his home, joined them in a social game of cards, and while they were enjoying themselves he slipped away into another part of the house, chatted for a few minutes with his wife and sister, and then fired the shots that made him a corpse.

Vitko was a silver plater and lived at 3652 Iowa avenue. He had a house full of friends Sunday afternoon and

was in exceptionally good humor. About 8 o'clock he left the card table ipstairs, where his guests were amusing themselves, and went down into the kitchen, where the women of the household were. His wife was there, as was also his sister, Mary.

He joked and chatted with them for awhile, telling his wife what a pretty bonnet he intended getting her for Easter. Then he blacked his shoes and passed out into the hall and into his bedroom, flaunting his handkerchief in his sister's face as he passed

He had hardly been gone thirty seconds when the women heard a pistol shot. Mary Vitko ran into the bedroom. As she reached the door another shot was fired. She saw her brother reel and fall. The pistol dropped from his hand. Blood was pouring from a wound in the man's

Mary's screaming aroused the whole house. Water was thrown in the wounded man's face. He did not revive. Dr. Borgfeldt was summoned, but the unconscious man never spoke again. He died a few minutes after | gland. nidnight.

The police were then notified of the ccurrence and Officer Rudolph went to the house. He concluded that as there had been two shots fired it must have been a suicide and so reported. The family claim it was an accident.

They think Vitko was shooting the pistol just to frighten the women in the house. Mary Vitko thinks it was the second shot which struck her brother in the head. The first one went into the floor. As no one saw the actual shooting it will never be known how it happened.

Vitko was 31 years of age and leaves t widow and two children. He was in ousiness for himself at 109 North Twelfth street His brothers say his financial affairs were in good condi-

#### SILVER DICK'S HEALTH.

He is Not Seriously Ill, but Not Well Evough to Start on His Lecture Tour. LEBANON, Mo., April 9.-Hon. R. P. Bland is not seriously ill, but his health is not good, and he is not well enough to start on his lecture tour through Colorado and Montana at present. He expected to leave here on the 15th mst., to open at Denver on the 20th, but will not be able to do so, and has canceled all his dates for this month. He is troubled with a sore throat, and it would be impossible for him to lecture on that account, even if his general health would permit it. He is under his physician's care and getting along very well, but it will be several weeks before he is able to start on his western tour. It is now his intention to fill his dates in Colorado and Montana during May and June. If his health continues to improve he will be able to do so. He greatly regrets the necessity of postponing his trip at this time.

Resignation of Speaker Peel. commons yesterday Speaker Peel made the announcement that owing to the condition of his health he was obliged miners also accompanies the expedition and the work of rescning will be gret at leaving the post which he had filled for eleven years. During that The mine was inspected a few weeks time, he said, he had constantly been the recipient of evidences of consideration and forbearance from all sides of the house, and for these manifestations he desired to express his sincere

> New York Police Bribery Trials. NEW YORK, April 9 .-- The trial of Police Inspector McLaughlin for re-ceiving bribes, which was set down for yesterday morning in the court of oyer and terminer, has been postponed until Monday, April 15. Detective Sergeant Frink and Sergeant O'Toole will probably be put on trial to-morrow. They are charged with receiving bribes by Dr. Whitehead.

#### Revoked the Permit at the Eleventh

CLEVELAND, O., April 9 .-- The fifteenoff. Mayor Blee, whose term of office expired at midnight, revoked the per-

Li Hung Chang's Wound Completely Healed.

London, April 9.—A Central News dispatch from Tokio says: Dr. Sato says that Li Hung Chang's wound is completely healed.

#### TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-Ex-Gov. James L. Kemper, of Virginia, died at Orange, Va., Sunday, of eart trouble, aged 72 years.

-The Rome Giornale announces the betrothal of the prince of Naples to Princess Alexandria of Saxe-Coburg.

-It is announced that Cardinal Vaughan will officiate at the marriage f the duke of Aosta to Princess

-The Hova works, near Tamatave, were bombarded by French cruisers on April 4. The forts feebly replied to the fire of the ships. —A rear-end collision between cable

Telene of Orleans.

cars occurred on the Brooklyn bridge. yesterday, and two men were slightly ourt and several others got a severe haking up.

—Judge Sloan, a Badger state plo-neer, died at Beaver Dam, yesterday, of pneumonia, aggravated by nervous rostration from overwork. He was 4 years of age. -William Fitzgerald, convicted of

the murder of Annie Naesens, in St. Louis, has been sentenced to hang on May 13, and a motion for a new trial and arrest of judgment overruled. -Joseph O'Toole, convicted in St.

Louis of murder in the second degree for the killing of Edward Fennell on September 17, 1893, was yesterday norning sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. -Treasury department officials esti-

nate that the revenue to be derived from the income tax, will, under the ruling of the supreme court, be reduced about one-hair, or from \$30,000, 000 to \$15,000,000. -Every book in the St. Louis public school library emanating from the pen-

of Oscar Wilde has been scratched from the catalogues and the volumes removed from the shelves. They will loubtless be destroyed. -Admiral Kirkland has cabled the navy department that the flagship San Francisco left Palermo, Sicily, early

Sunday morning, for Smyrna, to protect the American missionaries, in obelience to orders sent him. --Comptroller Bowles of the treasury, in a lengthy opinion, holds that Messrs Springer and Kilgore, the new judges of the Indian territory,

nominations are confirmed by the sen- A dispatch from Tamatave, by way of Port Luis, Mauritius, says that Charles Sterventon, the English commander-in-chief of the Malagasy forces has resigned from the service of Madagascar, and intends to return to En-

must wait for their salaries till their

-The schooner Josiah R. Smith collided with the steamer Lone Star at Vineyard Haven, Mass., Sunday night and was sunk. She carried 1,000 tons of coal. The crew was rescued. was valued at \$30,000, with but little insurance.

-The Italian government has received information from Massowah that the Italians, after a series of skirmishes, have succeeded in capturing Salama, where they took forty-eight guns from the enemy. Gen. Baratieri has occupied Agama.

-The Bridgeport, Conn., letter car iers have been notified that they have been allowed most of the money claimed by them under the eight-hour law. Six of them will receive \$500 each, and the remainder of the thirtyour carriers are allowed sums ranging from that down to \$50.

-Barnum, Richardson & Co, of Connecticut, have entered suit in the United States court against the Ensign Car Co., of Huntington, W. Va., for \$50,000 toyalties. The defendants have been manufacturing chilled car wheels under a license to use the pattents of the Connecticut company.

#### THE WHISKY TRUST IS DEAD.

So Say Four Leading Distillers Who Refuse to Join the Combine.

Curcago, April 8 .- This morning Gen. McNulta met the representative of the four distilleries and told them that the American Distributing Co. would not recede from its demands 'Then count us out," said Mr. Herget of the Globe distillery, and the four men left the office. "We will not pay tribute to the American Distributing Co., for a trade we have built up, despite the fierce opposition of the trust," said Mr. Herget. "We will fight the association to the last. We are better equipped than any other distillers in the country. The cost of producing LONDON, April 9.—In the house of spirits in our plants is less than one-commons yesterday Speaker Peel made third that of the trust. There is no longer any hope of maintaining the spirits association. It is dead."

#### PRINCE KOMATSU

To Command the Next Expeditionary Army Against China.

Tokio, March 19, via San Francisco, April 8.—The emperor of Japan has just issued a rescript appointing his imperial highness, Prince Komatsu, to be commander-in-chief of all the forces, military and naval, forming the next expeditionary army against China. The rescript says that the troops have now successfully completed the first part of the war and are about to enter upon the second; in other words they have reduced all China's outworks, and are now to at-

An Ex-Merchant of Chicago Appointed a Member of the Papal Household. CHICAGO, April 9.—A cablegram was received here yesterday from Rev. Dr round fight between Pat Reedy, of James McGovern, of Lockport, Ill., Washington, and Arthur Walker, the who is now in Rome, stating that Australian welterweight, which was Charles A. Mair, of Chicago, has been to have taken place at the Imperial appointed a member of the papal Athletic club last night, was declared household, the accompanying title being chamberlain of the cape and sword. Mr. Mair, who is a Canadian, has been a member of the board of trade for twenty years, but lately retired from business. He is at present visiting in Rome.

> Death of Gov. Marvil. WILMINGTON, Del., April 9.—Gov. Marvil died at 9:15 last night.

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One lot Misses' Jackets on sale at \$2.95, worth up to \$5. Children's Jackets at \$1.50, \$2 and \$3.

Ladies' Wool Wrappers on sale at \$3.50 and \$5.

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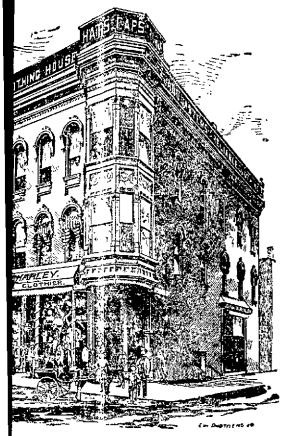
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Another very odd and original ball occurred on the selfsame night. It was given by the Berlin section of the

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sian Bureaucrats in a Clever Way—
A Bit of the Tyrol in Berlin—

A Swell Affair.

[Special Berlin (Germany) Letter.]

There is an ancient law on the statute

books in Prussia, dating from the time

when actors and opera singers were

strolling about the country and, by dint of "one-night stands," eking out

ENTRANCE TO ALPINE CLUB HALL.

miscrable and precarious livelihood.

Phis law classifies stage folk with do-

mestic servants, with the "Gesinde."

and even vouchsafes to their bass, the

owner of the theater or chief of the

troop, the right of "manual correc-tion," i. c. of slapping the members in

the face and administering other mild

forms of personal chastisement. Well about last New Year the president of

the police in Berlin, Baron von Richt-

hofen, finding that a provincial court

in a suit against a theatrical manager

had resuscitated this old law and an-

plied to it the case in hand, issued a

ukase calling public attention to the

fact that actors and actresses, from the

prima donna to the weazened old in-

triguante, were "Gesinde" and, as such,

The press ridiculed the order; the "profesh" first laughed at it, then

waxed wrathy and held indignation meetings; the public wondered, smiled and said nothing. The order was not

rescinded. It remains nominally in

force to-day, although in "innocuous desuctude," I suspect.

sion in Berlin gave a ball at the Kaiser-

hof, the most aristocratic hotel in town,

which they styled "Gesinde ball," and at which everybody present appeared

in the costume of a member of the servant class. It had been arranged by

half a dozen of the daintiest and most

popular actresses, including Reisen-hofer, Jenny Gross and Else Lehmann,

and it was a stunning success. Satir-

ically, humorously and by the law of

contrast the hundreds of jolly Thespi-

an disciples demonstrated that it is

folly to class them in the year 1895 with

the kitchen maid or the valet. The

critics of Berlin were present, of course,

such as Stinde and Blumenthal and

Ludermann, and a few airy literary

trifles, written for the occasion, were performed. But the chief joke of the

evening was, of course, the costuming.

The very flower of the profession, both

male and female, disported themselves

clad as nurses and cooks, chambermaids

and body servants, coachmen and footmen and ushers, porters and butlers, and imagination had lent them wings

for devising new classes of domestic

was, perhaps, even more enjoyable. The whole interior of the huge build-

ing had been transformed into a bit of

Alpine country. The immense ball-

room (where on other nights the finest

concerts in the capital are performed) had been changed into a landscape

near Meran, Tyrol, and the festival

celebrated there was a counterfeit of

that of the vintners of grape-buried

Meran, with gayly-decorated village streets on the main floor, and glinting

glaciers in the background. A Meran band of drummers and fifers played

the Passeyer march, the same which

ed Andreas Hofer and his Tyroleans

into battle against the French in 1809; and everybody was an Alpine boy or

lass for the time being. The costumes

and a score of the most popular writers

Recently the whole theatrical profes-

amenable to the rules and regulations

in such case made and provided.

some mention.

worn by the participants were genuine, as most of those present were members of the Alpine club and had used those same "duds" before in climbing steep paths high up in the Bavarian or Tyrolese mountains during recent summers, and enough of the natives had been imported from their far-away homes to complete the illusion. There were a band of yodlers, a number of zither players, a half dozen of expert dancers of the "Schuhplattl," and a whole score of villagers from the Berlin isn't Paris, and there never Vintschgau in the Tyrol to perform the famous "Bandel" dance around the May pole. The wine rooms and beer cellars were fitted up to match, and once past the grim barrier at the beats the French. This year's ball season especially, short though it was, entrance gate, where Austrian revenue brought an immense number of officers sat and collected tribute, the terpsichorean dissipations, and among visitor was not in Berlin, but in some them there were a few that deserve Alpine village, high up and away from the busy world.

To talk of the subscription ball at the

Royal opera house at this late day seem superfluous, for this most resplendent and aristocratic of all private balls given occurs regularly once every year during the carnival time. Suffice it to say that it was more brilliant and glori ous of diamonds, colors and handsom women and stately men than ever, and the emperor strolling up and down among the immense crowd for upward of an hour, with his train of glittering aides and flashing cuirassiers, added not immaterially to the picture. For it was a picture—not a ball. Although the space given up was that of the whole opera house, holding many thousands, and although the price of admission is purposely fixed rather high, the pressure was so enormous as to make lancing quite impossible. From this ball to those which, just now, engage the special attention of the police, is quite a step, but it has to

be made in order to complete the survey. There are, it is true, a large number of decent and respectable public ballrooms in Berlin, like the Artushof, where the girls or wives of the small middle classes, the mechanics and the shopkeepers, now and then have a hop with their husbands, sweethearts and relatives, where clubs or societies meet and have a good time in a slow, oldfashioned way. There are cheaper places, still well-behaved enough, where the large array of servant girls and cooks, of coachmen and gardeners, meet and dance, where young soldiers and old soldiers show themselves in all their martial splendor with their best girls. But these places have not been interfered with by the police. The category which, of late, has been put under pelice surveillance and of which some at least have been suppressed and others restricted, is the one where vice



BELLE OF THE ROYAL OPERA HOUSE

in its most alluring garb has been stalking rampant for months and years.

The Blumensale (flower halls) is a himself to be lured to this place by a gist. couple of gay young diplomats who had shared the meal with him. Next morning the old gentleman was dead, and the last penny of a large sum he had had upon him was gone. There had been an orgy in one of the boxes, and a couple of the bandsomest members of , couple of the handsomest members o the demi-monde were arrested, but soon let go for want of proof. This incident in metropolitan life, an incident which had often occurred before, induced the police to subject those Blumensale and similar establishments to a more rigorous supervision. At present they are forced to close at 3 a. m., and, since the regular customers of these places, both men and women, as a rule, only begin to show up at midnight, "early-closing order" means the financial ruin of the owners unless it be rescinded before long. The Blumensale are the acme of material elegance, and none but persons in full ball costume are allowed on the floor, while nothing but champagne at six dollars a bottle is served by the waiters. In point of dash and "go," how-ever, they do not equal similar establishments in Paris.

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"My husband never gives me a cent

Austro-German Alpine club at the Philharmonic building, and of its kind it of money unless he growls about my extravagance," said one. "Mine does the same thing," attested

the other. "But I get even with him," and her face showed the color of satisfaction. "How do you ever do it?"

"I go through his trousers' pockets when he's asleep."
"Goodness gracious!" exclaimed the other, "I wouldn't do that for any-

band's trousers' pockets for it."
"I'd like to know why?" quite indignant at the apparent reproof.

"Because," blushed the other, "he car-ries his money in his vest."—Detroit

The Cycler's Song.

O, it's joy to beup in the morning when the dew is yet on the clover, And the air is full of a sweetness that makes it a draught divine To mount one's wheel and go flying, away and

away, a rover In a wide, bright world of beauty; and all that world is mine

There's a breath of balm on the breezes, a scen-

There's a breath of balm on the breezes, a scent of the wayside roses,
A bint of the incense odors that blow through the hillside pieces,
And ever a shifting landscape that some new, bright charm discloses.
As I flash from nooks of shadow to plains where the sunlight shines.

sing in my-care-free gladness; I am kin to the wind that's blowing;
I am thrilled with the bliss of motion like the
bird that skims the down;

feel the blood of the gross in my pulses com ing, going:
Give me my wheel for a comrade, and the
king may keep his crown!
—Eben E. Rextord, in Youth's Companion.

A Housekeeper's Autumn Time. The autumn winds sigh through the trees.
The brown leaves earthward float,
And I must sew the buttons on My husband's overcost.

The western sky where gilded clouds Loom up like mountain crags, Seems to portend a pleasant day To color carpet rags.

The gorgeous beauty of the days, With white frosts intervening. Warns me that little time remains To do my fall house cleaning. The honeybee and butterfly

Bid farewell to the flowers

While I am scrubbing fly specks off These dirty walls of ours. The squirrel hoards his store of nuts. The wild bird southward goes, The children rambling in the woods

Will soon need winter clothes So as the autumn days go by, With joy and duty teeming, They bring me double happiness In doing and in dreaming,

And teach this lesson as with toll I mingle thoughts of Heaven,
The Maker of this beauteous world
Worked six days of the seven.
Grace L. Howard, in Good Housekeeping.

The old house stands in the little glen The trees cast out their branches high. The brees cast out their branches high,
The blackbirds hold componenting when
The sun dips down the western sky.
The irroplace yields no cheerful glow,
The hearthstone once so clean and bright
And the polished floor of long ago,
Are recking now with soil and blight.

Whithing down caree by nine.

Are recking now with soil and blight.
The little windows, soven by nine,
Wore numbered, every thay pane—
Dust-curtained now; the mountain pine
Sighs through the mist of falling rain.
But changing year, have not displaced
The vine that clambered to the caves—
A wealth of blossoms interlaced
With mottled, green and scarlet leaves
So memory wanders to the bast

So memory wanders to the past And listens at the old house door For the remembered voice at last Of loved ones who return no more

Question and Answer. Where are the fairies in plak and white, Clustered close together:
Who used to dance on the apple boughs
In the beautiful May weather?
They went away on a sunny day,

-Emilie Clure, in Western Rural

And nothing was left, ains! But rosy shreds of their levely robes Lying upon the grass. Come out to the orchard, and walk with me.
The autumn sun shines bright. On many a heavy-laden tree I will show you a wondrous sight;

Each fairy, that to the orchard brought Her loveliness and grace, When she went away on that sunny day, Left an apple in her place.

-Mary F. Butts, in S. S. Times.

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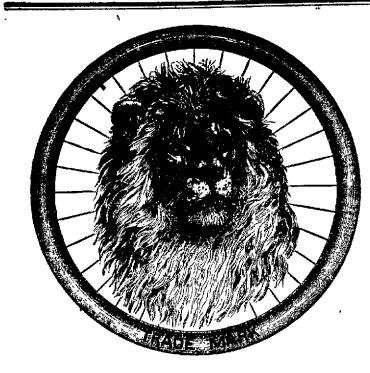
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U. R. K. of P.—Regular drul meeting of Deca-tur Division, No. 35 R. P. Uniform Rank Thesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Oastle Hall Every Sir Knight requested to be present. Had INNAS, Sir Knight Recorder.

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posed of defunct Democrates and Mugwump Republicans, who pout and are
pessimistic and pretend to a moral status
too pure for practical politics. They
style themselves "Municipal Reformers";
claim to be actuated by the highest
ideals; have transferred the base of their
pointical campaign to the churches, for
effect, and from the pulpit hurl fiery
darts at the old parties and deal out
damnation at everything except the saloons. Our reformers declare it is not
their purpose to dig beneath the foundations of evil—they would not touch nor
destroy the tap root of what they always declared to be the city's curse and
the source of all villainies, but they propose to trim the Upas iree, to perfect
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Mr. Miller's cate these of the to know of that complex crowd what good thing that embryo
came forth to bless the whole world
with its benedictions. Our crit is dumnation of governmental ations of go posed of defunct Democrats and Mug-wump Republicans, who pout and are pose to trim the Upas tree, to perfect induced a few of the rustics to believe and to protect it and only ask in the that if he were chosen king and allowed that if he were chosen king and allowed name of prety and pure politics that fifty saloons shall carefully continue to sell saloons shall carefully continue to sell whisky and lagor beer according to law. If it be true, as temperance and pious people pietend, that gamblers and painted Syrens are begotten by and find their congenial habitat about and above the saloons, then surely the foundation is at fault and our little third par ty's coming crusade is but an idle and impotent effort to reform an effect, a something above the earth and in the air. Nor do the reformers pledge to the people the utter destruction of all gambling. They assure us it shall be driven from public places, divorced from the public saloons and allowed to operate once of our fold and faith who have been people the utter destruction of all gambling. They assure us it shall be driven from public places, divorced from the public saloons and allowed to operate unseen. The third element of our triple iniquity would doubtless be reformed to the same extent and after a similar style. Now, we challenge the Municipal Reformers to show, by any authoritative utterance, either of their candidates or areat Republican party then they shall formers to show, by any authoritative utterance, either of their candidates or nominating club or convention, where they have pledged themselves to any houest reforms, more real and reliable than we have here uncovered and ex-posed. Thus it is self evident when this intile club's status is reduced to its last analysis that its campaign cry of reform is simply and solely a transparent, though probably an unconscious, fraud There can be no such thing as a radical and religious reform from Pepublican politics worthy of the churches and ministry who are unwisely mixed up in this municipal matter, unless it drive its plowshear of pious reform clear under and overturn and destroy every source of sin. Such a system of reform would sound well as a sensational sermon and would be strictly scriptural, but in practical business politics even the reformers seem to see that such a course of actual, honest, so called "reformation" would be honest, so called "reformation" would be political suicide; hence they propose to todge and trim, rather than tear up. The Rev. Mr. Miller declares in effect that the reason the reformers do not deatroy the saloons is because they exist by the will of the people. Here it seems are a few dead files in the good preacher's ointment. His Democratic preacher's continent. His Democratic associates insist that he shall serve both God and mammon at the same time. The church has always contended that the saloons are the arch enemy of all good, and denounced them as the sum of all villamies; but Mr. Miller and the Reformers, for the sake of party success, must treat them as elder brothers, because the will of the people has sanc-tioned this colossal sin. Such are the suggestions of Mammon to this municpal party; but, then the chustian element must feel the inconsistency of their situation. They are come as the conce of one crying in the wilderness of wickedness to prepare the way for some-thing purer. Then mission is to quicken the public conscience, their aim is to people or England cut on his nead uncause his political principles were run-ous to the realm. The Republican party does not depose bad rulers that way. We accord them the assi-tance of the educate the people above the plane of the old parties, and for this end they have founded their platform on holy ground. The Municipal party deny with scorn and contempt the truth of Mr. Leforgee's suggestion that the vast revenues and influence of the saloons might tone down and modify the immaculate morality of the Pharisees.

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In Agricultural Experiment Station of the University of Illinois at Champaign announces that it is ready to send out its bulletin on the means for the destruction of the chinch bug. Two other bulletins will be issued this month. work that they have assigned to them-selves would require the material that martyrs are made of. But who are and account of investigation of fungus dis-teases of the potato and of some remedies, were mete that these men should reform in sackeloth and ashes, but when they
go up on top of such an exceeding high
moral mountain and seek to seduce the
christian ministers of this city to fall

JONATHAN EDWARDS, JR.

Some Remarks by Him on the Coming Municipal Election.

Editor Republican: We are in the midst of a political evolution. The vital question is, who shall control the municipal government of Decatur? In addition to the Republican and Democratic parties, we have a novel and new aspirant for office conceived in dissatisfaction with the two old parties, and composed of defunct Democrats and Mugwump Republicans, who pout and are presented in a more status of the results of the remainder of the to administer the affairs of government, instead of the grand old king, that the New Jerusalem would settle down all New Jerusalem would settle down all about them and rightcousness would flow through the realm like rivers of water. The Kev. Mr. Miller is respectfully referred to the fate of poor misguided Absalom. But the grand old Republican party does not desire that the little band of reformers shall furl their flag, first bocause it does not need them and second we wish to make an example of those once of our fold and fatth who have been seduced away by the Democrats and are great Ropublicau party then they shall have given us at least one ray of light. In behalf of the Municipal reform club of Decatur, these ministers have been duly authorized by the great body of business Democrats who have deserted their party to coolemn, customate and their party to condemn, castigate and taliery from the kei ublican camp. There is not an original idea in all that. Our forecast of Democratic imbecult, could not be more accurate if the voice of God had thundered it from Sinai. Having stolen their ideas of reform from us of course our Rev. friends and the so called business men of the Democratic party whom they are chaperoning in their little politica, side show all agree with the Republicans in one thing let us repeat the inquiry. What have these Democrats who have deserted the rearty, who have seduced from us poor Greaham and Starr and the Revs. Howe and Miller, what have they done politically to specially commend them as reformers? It is not difficult to see why these noble ministers should sympathize with these defunct Democrats, since the yery instinct of a christian is to seek and ery instinct of a christian is to seek and o save those that are lost. Against the character, social standing, integrity, ve racity and honor of this Municipal club we have nothing to say, but Macauley assures that Charles II. was honest and annable, pure and pious, truthful and tender, a grand husband and an affectionate father, and yet the patnotic

and state craft have to meddle with what belongs to religion and the church; in fact, the genius of our institutions especially disfavor the intermeddling of those affairs that relate respectively to church and state. Politics with the Republican party means Business! We have always everywhere shown special and superior common sense, economy bean sound. Is fast being recognized as the best coffee. You use the best butter and the best sugar. Why not use the best coffee? Bursley's Blend is the best coffee? Bursley's Blend is the best and goes furthest.

As baldness makes one look prematurely old, so a full head of hair gives to mature life the appearance of youth. To secure this and prevent the former, Ayer's Hair Vigor is confidently recommended. Both ladies and gentlemen prefer it to an other dressing.

The Spencer & Lehman Co. have the exclusive agency of the celebrated Troy compliments of the Municipal Reform the present administration has disgusted by two things. He charges that the eduter common sense, economy and success in the administration of government affairs. The grand old party has always held aloof and always deprecated the foolish doctrines, vager deprecated

eople of England cut off his head be-

down and worship them and the grand old have again gone wrong and into the em. into the only party capable of legen-erating them and this municipal galera ment. The reformers' brightest disease ment. The r. formers' brightest disease of ideal city government tall far below the ordinary operation and grand teah ties of a Republican municipal of lines tration. We point with pride to all our past. We took this nation of the hands of the Democratic party 19 18.00 when form by treason and don't when form by treason and deau. I me debt, and we brought back the (1798 democratic sisters into our great family democratic sisters and our great 1 and of federal states, and touching the types of prostrate public credit at stoody and came forth to bless the whole world with its benedictions. Our civil disministration of governmental adjust the

swept over this country, inflicting or nation, state and city government. Democracy; and destruction followed everywhere by blighted business at smitten by the withering simoon or the breath of Vestuvius. From oct in to ocean the righteous verdict of a disappointed and outraged public is that the Democratic party is dead and will soon be buried. The Municipal party is but another name for these same sophists who for thirty years have been blundering and bushwhacking and crying "kieform!" For this and their meyponence, and without the slightest capacity for city administration, they the air description of the supplementation of the significant contents. doomed to defeat and an early extunction. Over their bier on the 17th of April we suggest the following be printed in flowers:

When your couls take their flight.
To the regions of light.
And your corpes shall recline on its ider,
While we the past the tomb.
Where your ashes consume,
We will hallow your dust with a tear,

JONATHAN EDWARDS JE

Talking to the Brethron

The Municipal election in Palls City, Neb., has just been held. There they had a three-cornered fight sun lar to destroy the present Democratic administration of Decatur. They denounce it as bad, imbecile, unbusiness like and re-tregressive and that the situation calls for reform. Surely all that is steller are paper that stood by the party, bad to paper that stood by the party, had to sayafter the battle. It is good read ing, and may have the effect of miking some Republican hesitate who has not reached the stage when he thinks he would rather see the Democratic taket succeed than that of his own party.

The periodical spring fight reover, and as usual there are some cone spots and some very healthy ones. The son still shines and the sores will soon heal over those who are not chronically sore. True Republicanism is too well and active this year to be trified with, even in Falls City, and while many honest Republicans here were led into honest Republicans here were led info a false belief that to down the Repub-lican ticket this spring would be the proper thing to do in order to mike it strong hereafter, a large majority of them still preferred to uphold it and save it from jeopardy on the eve of a great battle. Some of these men were led by motives of personal friendship, selfishness or spite, but most of them paid attention to false reports from the enemy, whose object was to divide and shatter the ranks of the party and epon shatter the ranks of the party and open a path to victory this fall. To these Re publicans we haven't a word of bitter ness now and extend a hand of welcome to the ranks again. No Republicant afford to leave his party now and he's Democracy after he views the week of the past two years. This spring election was skirmish for the presidential struggle Many Democrats are coming over to the Republican party everywhere, and were true Republican should fall in him and henceforth be counted. With the hatternst fight, against many odds falls who have recently heard from our reference of Government." The Republican party prefers the more explicit dictum of James G. Blaine and Lord Macauley, who define the primal purpose of all good government to be not the propagation of religion, nor of morals, but to account the citizens in their persons and around the good old flag, and victory around the good old flag, and victory

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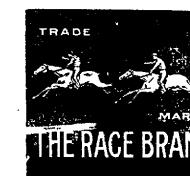
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